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David Kelly
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Re: Johnston Fire Services, LLC
Cases 10-CA-175681, et al.

Dear Mr. Kelly:

This will acknowledge the Respondent's May 15, 2017 request for an extension to May 19, 2017 to file Respondent's answering brief to the Union's Exceptions to the Administrative Law Judge's Decision.

As you know, exceptions in this case were originally due on March 31, 2017. The Union timely requested, and was granted, an extension to April 14, 2017 to file its exceptions and supporting brief. Thereafter, Counsel for the General Counsel timely requested an extension to April 28, 2017 to file the General Counsel's exceptions and supporting brief in this matter. On April 28, the Union timely filed its exceptions and brief in support of exceptions. Counsel for the General Counsel did not file exceptions.

Pursuant to Section 102.46(b)(1) of the Board's Rules, answering briefs were due 14 days "from the last date on which exceptions and any supporting brief may be filed." Thus, any answering briefs in this matter were due on May 12, 2017.

Under Section 102.2(c) of the Board's Rules, "a request for an extension of time to file a document must be filed no later than the date on which the document is due." Therefore, any request for an extension to file answering briefs was due on or before May 12, 2017. The Respondent's request was submitted and received on May 15, 2017. Accordingly, I am unable to grant the Respondent's request for an extension of time to file its answering brief.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Farah Z. Qureshi
Associate Executive Secretary

cc: Parties